

EARL L. "BUDDY" CARTER  
FIRST DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON  
ENERGY AND COMMERCE

CHAIRMAN, SUBCOMMITTEE ON  
HEALTH

SUBCOMMITTEE ON  
COMMUNICATIONS AND TECHNOLOGY

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON  
THE BUDGET

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-1001**

WASHINGTON OFFICE  
2432 RAYBURN HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, DC 20515  
(202) 225-5831

SAVANNAH OFFICE  
6602 ABERCORN STREET, SUITE 105B  
SAVANNAH, GA 31405  
(912) 352-0101

BRUNSWICK OFFICE  
777 GLOUCESTER STREET, SUITE 410  
BRUNSWICK, GA 31520  
(912) 265-9010

<http://BuddyCarter.House.gov>

May 23, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, the Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Brunswick Harbor Modifications Project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The funding would be used to modify the existing federal navigation channel at the Port of Brunswick. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Port of Brunswick is one of the nation's busiest hubs for the import and export of vehicles and heavy equipment. Today, more than a dozen major auto manufacturers rely on Brunswick's Colonel's Island Terminal to move over 650,000 auto and machinery units per year. The recommended plan would contribute to the national economic development with an average annual net benefit of \$2,324,000 and a benefit-cost ratio of 4.7 to 1.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 8401 of Water Resources Development Act of 2022 (Public Law 117-263).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family

Sincerely,



Earl L. "Buddy" Carter  
Member of Congress